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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 31, 2007 for the above-identified patent application, Applicant submits a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and the following:

Listing of Claims which begins on page 2; and

Remarks/Arguments which begin on page 7.